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Mortality from infectious diseases in Lima, Peru, during the year 1903.

Enteric fever	142	Plague	3
Typhus fever	3	Leprosy	2
Malaria	135	Erysipelas	8
Variola	10	Tuberculosis	1,328
Measles	155	Other infectious diseases	1
Scarlet fever	3		
Whooping cough	19	Total	1,943
Croup	12	Total, all causes	4,878
Grippe	31	Percentage of deaths from infectious diseases	39.8
Cholera nostras	28		
Dysentery	63		

Mortality from infectious diseases in Caracas, Venezuela, during the year 1903.

Enteric fever	88	Erysipelas	6
Malaria	73	Tuberculosis	570
Whooping cough	12		
Croup	11	Total	1,079
Grippe	12	Total, all causes	3,199
Dysentery	264	Percentage of deaths from infectious diseases	33.7
Yellow fever	43		

Population of city, estimated, 85,000.

Mortality in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, week ended August 13, 1905.

During this week there were in all 292 deaths. Of this number 3 were caused by yellow fever, with 7 new cases reported, of which number 6 were verified; 2 were caused by bubonic plague, with 8 new cases reported, and 5 were caused by variola, with 23 new cases reported. This shows an increase in variola and also a slight recrudescence of bubonic plague. At the end of the week the report of the hospital São Sebastião showed that there were there under treatment 1 case of yellow fever, 39 cases of variola, and 3 cases of plague, with 6 cases under observation as supposed cases.

Other causes of deaths were: Measles, 5; scarlet fever, 1; diphtheria, 1; grippe, 8; dysentery, 2; leprosy, 1; malarial fevers, 3; tuberculosis, pulmonary variety, 57—other forms, 1; septicæmia, 2; syphilis, 2; cancer, 6; other general diseases, 5; diseases of the nervous system, 28; of the circulatory system, 47; of the respiratory system, 34; of the digestive system, 38; of the urinary system, 11; puerperal septicæmia, 1; other accidents during puerperal state, 2; diseases of the skin, 1; of the organs of locomotion, 1; congenital debility, 10; senile debility, 10; violence, 4, and suicide, 1.

Natives, 231; foreigners, 58; nationality unknown, 3.

By localities, in houses, etc., 181; in civil hospitals, 27; in military hospitals, 5; in Santa Casa de Misericordia, 75; in asylums, convents, etc., 2, and in places unknown, 2.

Daily average of deaths, 41.71, compared with 37 for the preceeding week, and with 60 for the corresponding week of 1904. The rate per each 1,000 of the estimated population is 16.82.

The highest range of the centigrade thermometer was 30.7° and the lowest was 12.7° with an average for the week of 20.59°. The total rainfall was 0.48 mm.